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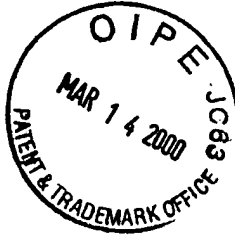
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For: Method and Apparatus for Reducing Power
Consumption in a Computer System Using
Virtual Device Drivers



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AMENDMENT TO REISSUE APPLICATION

10 Hon. Commissioner of
Patent & Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

15 In response to the Office Action of 12/17/99, which supercedes the Office Action
of August 13, 1999 that did not consider applicant's preliminary amendment of 5/27/99,
applicant requests entry of the following amendment and consideration of the following
remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

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51. (Amended) An article comprising:

a machine readable storage medium storing instructions comprising a device
manager and power management software, said power management

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